

**First ISO Certified Water Treatment Plant In Malaysia  
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PUTRAJAYA, Jan 30 (Bernama) -- Konsortium ABASS Sdn Bhd (ABASS), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Kumpulan Perangsang Selangor Berhad; the water operator for the Sungai Semenyih water treatment plant at Putrajaya was awarded the MS ISO/IEC 27001:2007 for Information Security Management System (ISMS) by SIRIM QAS International Sdn Bhd.

The certificate was presented by Managing Director of SIRIM QAS International Sdn Bhd, Khalidah Mustafa to Chairman of ABASS Suhaimi Kamaralzaman, witnessed by the Minister of Energy, Green Technology and Water, Datuk Seri Peter Chin Fah Kui.

The ISO/IEC 27001 standard is the benchmark in ensuring security control within an organisation to protect information.

The security control standards determine the management system features, which include design framework, implementation, management, maintenance and information security control processes as well as the organisation's overall control.

"Taking into consideration of the status of Sungai Semenyih Water Treatment Plant as a Protected Area and Prohibited Place under the Act 298, we initiated the implementation of the ISMS early 2011," said Suhaimi.

ISMS approach is systematic and structured in managing information to ensure it is always secured. For ABASS, the ISMS scope was focused on 'Provision of Treated Water to be supplied to End Customer', which has to comply to strict procedures, processes, equipment, software functions and management structure.

Suhaimi explained that ABASS' achievement in attaining this certification proves that ABASS complies with the strict standards of ISO/IEC 27001 related to security management and control in the context of operating and maintaining the water treatment plant to cater to over two million consumers everyday, even though they are not fully paid by the water supplier for the services provided.

To conclude the award ceremony, Datuk Seri Peter Chin together with Secretary General of the Ministry of Energy, Green Technology and Water Datuk Loo Took Gee, as well as Chief Executive Officer of the National Water Services Commission, Datuk Teo Yen Hua were given a technical tour to the water treatment plant.

Konsortium ABASS Sdn Bhd Profile Konsortium ABASS Sdn Bhd is the concessionaire for 30 years since 2001 to operate and maintain the Sungai Semenyih Scheme.

The Sungai Semenyih Water Supply Scheme implemented by the Selangor State Government supplies clean water to over two million users in the South-West of Kuala Lumpur, Petaling Jaya, Shah Alam, Klang, Putrajaya, Cyberjaya, Sepang, Puchong, Seri Kembangan, Bandar Baru Bangi, Kuala Langat and the surrounding areas.

The components of the Scheme include: Semenyih Dam in Hulu Semenyih Intake Sump and Raw Water Pumping Station in Jenderam Hilir Water Treatment Plant in Precint 19, Putrajaya Lake Water Transfer Scheme (WT1) in Jenderam Semenyih Dam Water Transfer Scheme (WT2) in Hulu Semenyih SOURCE: Kumpulan Peransang Selangor FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: Name : Amin Lin Abdullah Head of Group Public Relations & Media Mobile: 016 322 8686 Email : amin@kdeb.com

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